

## Breeding Local News

C. L. Holden and Volney of Midway were in town Tuesday of this week.

Mert Wescott had the misfortune to get his shoulder put out of place and was brought in Monday from the Allen Heard ranch to have it set. We failed to learn how it happened.

We just learned this week of some of the worst faxes of the hail storm of two weeks ago near Eunice. Rev. D. Y. Musick having been there at the time to fill his regular appointment, and stated that one man lost out of 100 head of goats, 300 by the force of the large hail stones which looked to be about the size of hen eggs and the extreme cold that followed the hail still being in drifts from 18 to 20 inches deep Sunday evening after the storm Saturday evening before.

Bob Krop moved his house that was situated near S. H. Martin's place in town, to his claim this week.

Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Miller of Knowles were in Lovington Tuesday.

Monday, the two Misses Gathings of near Monument one a teacher at Retan and the other at Tohoka. These, who are visiting at the Gathings ranch were in Lovington Tuesday.

D. H. Fort and daughter of Midway were in our city Tuesday.

Rev. J. H. Clouse returned from his appointment at Highlonesome Sunday where he preached Saturday night, and at 3:30 p. m. Sunday. Having preached Sunday at 11 a. m. at a school building some four or six miles from Highlonesome.

The George Robinson pool hall changed hands this week. Bill Pruitt having purchased it last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson going to Lamesa to live.

E. C. Lyon and L. Langitz of McDonald were in Lovington Tuesday.

Earl Macy we learn has accepted a position with the Odell Reporter at Odell, Texas.

L. O. Cunningham preached a fine sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning to a large congregation, and his subject for the evening service was Waisted Wealth, which when explained, did not mean riches alone, but talents, and was much appreciated by those who heard it.

Miss Myrtle Yaden spent Saturday and Sunday on her claim.

Our High School teachers have been and are still busy drilling the scholars for the final closing of school the latter part of this month.

Mrs. C. E. Sams and children also her sister Miss Dora Thomas have returned from their three months trip abroad at Mineral Wells, and Benjamin, Texas. They report that the little boy, Malcom, is much improved.

Jack Ancell, son of T. M. Ancell left last week for Elkins, N. M. where he will visit his sister, Mrs. Will Crosby, then go on to visit his Uncle in Arizona.

Mrs. Geo. Macy from the Ancell ranch is spending the week in Lovington visiting friends. She stated that her daughter, Mrs. Ancell, had been supplying their table with fresh lettuce, onions, mustard and radishes for the past three weeks and we will have to give that credit to Texas as their ranch is a few miles across the line.

H. V. Wright of Knowles was in Lovington Wednesday.

Mrs. Maggie McMahon is having a well drilled on her new claim. She is also working in the Lovington Millinery store this week.

N. B. Duncan and E. H. McCray both of Clay county Texas, and guests of A. F. Ligette of Knowles N. M. and in company with the latter gentleman were in Lovington Wednesday, and called at the Leader office. Both gentlemen seemed pleased with our country and are out on a prospective trip.

L. A. Swigart a prominent sheep man of Carlsbad was on our streets a day or so this week.

## Up-To-Date Wolf Chase

According to some of our grand father's stories, of their fox and wolf chase, we can but wonder what would have been their thoughts had any one predicted such a job as we had on our planks just but a few mornings ago, when about sun-rise Mr. Ed Love's attention was attracted by the barking of his dog, and upon looking out saw he and a wolf near the house. Where-upon instead of having to shout a wireless message to his neighbors he quietly stepped to the phone turned the noisless crank which signaled his want call and which immediately brought Mr. W. T. Lay and nephew Henry Baker of Midway who was there on a visit, with their dog and guns, out on the south. Then Mr. Love turned to his auto and turned on another crank which is fed by the same electric spark and, with his gun in much less time than it takes to tell it, the chase was ready. The wolf by this time thoroughly frightened turned for the west in the direction of Albert Love's ranch but automobile and dogs kept in close range as they sped over the prairie until Albert Love seeing the chase came to their assistance by checking the wolf in its course thus giving Mr. Love the advantage of overtaking it and wounding it with a shot, whereby the dogs finished the program except that after their fun and excitement Mr. Love proceeded to take the scalp with him to Roswell as a trophy.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Carlos P. Chappell 027150 Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. April 9, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Carlos P. Chappell of Lovington N. M. who on April 9, 1913 made H. E. Serial No. 027150 for S1-2 Sec. 3, Twp. 15-S R. 37 E. 1. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. June 9, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: Clyde C. Fargier, Bob Barton, Ben Sutton, these of Stanbro, N. M. Thomas N. Miller, of Plainview, N. M. Emmett Patton Register. May 7, June 4.

Mrs. C. S. Meece and little son Ted, of Roswell, are in Lovington this week. Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sewalt.

J. H. Graham was from his ranch one day this week.

J. R. Price, F. M. Winter, W. T. Wooten and R. W. Brill all of Phoenix Ariz. were in our city this week writing up life insurance for the Inter-Mountain Life Insurance Co.

Harry Morrison the Roswell Jewelry man arrived in our little city Thursday to spend a few days doing work in his line of business.

J. T. Gattett has been having some changes made in his dwelling and has added a nice new ten foot porch. Messrs Geo Blake and Dick Cousineau doing the work.

R. E. Pitfills of McDonald was in town Thursday. He states that everything is looking fine in his part of the country. Orchards that are old enough to bear fruit he states are loaded, and farmers putting their crops in right along.

## Hotel Arrivals

Tom Mitchell	Big Springs, Texas
W. L. Speed	Ennis, "
J. R. Price	Phoenix Ariz.
F. M. Winter	" "
W. T. Wootton	" "
R. W. Brill	" "
S. H. Newman	Snyder, Texas
O. V. Sholtz	" "
C. Hayze	" "
Dr. Merrell	" "
Benton H. Mosley	Carlsbad, N. M.
L. A. Swigart	Midway, "
W. P. Allen	" "
Sam Savage	San Juan, "
Mr. Britton	Denver, Colo.
Tom Jelinek	N. Y.

## Fifth Sunday Meeting Lovington Boy

At Lovington, N. M.

BAPTIST CHURCH MAY 23, 1915.

FRIDAY

Friday, 8 p.m. Introductory Sermon by Rev. C. W. Toby Alt R. L. Duckett.

SATURDAY 9 O'clock a.m.

What Is The New Testament Church. By Rev. D. Y. Musick

Acy Boyd.

10 O'clock a. m.

Relation of The Prayer meeting to The Church. By J. A. Wise, L. M. Blackmon

11 O'clock a.m.

Sermon, D. Y. Musick.

2, O'clock p.m.

Temperance. P. S. Eaves, T. P. Bingham.

3 O'clock p.m.

The Future Outlook of our Associational Work. Rev. C. W. Toby.

A. N. Marchman.

8, O'clock p.m.

Sermon.

SUNDAY 9, O'clock a.m.

Sunday School Rally. R. R. James.

J. M. Roden Jr., C. L. Creighton.

11, O'clock, a. m.

Sermon. Rev. R. L. Duckett, A. T. Rev. J. H. Clouse.

2, O'clock, p.m.

Is Tithing a Bible Doctrine. Rev. R. L. Duckett, H. S. Record.

3, O'clock, p.m.

The Young People's Work, and Our Duty Toward It. Guy M. Travis, C. A. Davis.

8, O'clock, p. m.

Sermon.

## Lawson Convicted

John R. Lawson the noted labor leader was sentenced to life imprisonment in the Colorado penitentiary on May 3. Convicted of murder in first degree in the killing of sheriff John Nimmo in the strike battle of Oct. 25, 1913. His remark after hearing the verdict was, "They may get me but they can't defeat the cause of labor."

## Classified Ads

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## Makes Good

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Many of our people have had the opportunity of inspecting the work of W. E. Macy, expert cartoonist, who is spending a while in the city guest of his Uncle, S. D. Myers. The drawing is quite artistic and comical. It is with reference to the contest for Chief of Police in this city and declares that the candidates are almost as thick as presidents in Mexico.

Mr. Macy, though quite young demonstrates far more than ordinary ability in this line of work. He has had some experience a long line of newspaper work and if he decides to follow it up, will doubtless make splendid success with it. —Sweetwater Reporter

## Nadine Notes

Nadine has enjoyed several sunshine days recently.

Quite a number of our people enjoyed a "Pair of Idiot's" played at Hobbs Saturday night.

M. L. Thorn left May 2, for Arizona to make his home in the future. Mrs. Lizzie Rice accompanied them.

Mrs. W. R. Owens and family came in last Friday to prove up on the homestead of her late husband.

Jan Barnes, came in one day recently with the household goods of the gentleman who recently purchased the Dragool place.

Mrs. Ed Veach, sister to Lum Daugherty informs us that Lum has gone to Martin, Texas, to be treated for rheumatism.

Grandma Weathers, mother of Mrs. M. E. Walker is improving after a very serious illness.

E. B. Roberts and J. H. Wise have been drilling a well for E. E. Carles who has recently purchased the Wolf place across the line in Texas.

Mr. Brookin and family who have recently sold out near Pearl were the guests of R. W. Houston and family Sunday.

George Teague came through Nadine from Knowles Monday.

If you stay in Nadine long you must put on your working clothes to battle with the approaching General Green and his army of weeds.

Mrs. C. A. Tomlinson mother of L. O. Tomlinson was up from Knowles on a visit to Mrs. Tomlinson and family of this place.

DR. H. H. GALLATIN PHYSICIAN and SURGEON Calls Answered Day or Night Office and Residence Telephone Number 37. LOVINGTON. N. M.

## U. S. Dept. Of Agricult.

Weather Report

STATION NEAR KNOWLES, N. M.

APRIL, 1915.

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Max. Temp. 83

Date 21

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Date 2

Total Precip. Inches 3.48

No. of Days Clear 20

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Auroras 26

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## Odd Fellows and

Rebekahs Celebrate

SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Having put off their home celebration until after the one at Artesia, the following program was rendered at the Odd Fellows' hall last Monday night, for the benefit of the Odd Fellows families and their friends.

Instrumental Music Bessie Eaves

Opening Address R. R. James

Vocal Solo Mary Lou Graham

Recitation Little Thelma Boyd

Instrumental Solo Tonnie Bingham

" Lorena Anderson

Vocal Solo Jennie-Lou Shepard

Inst. Solo Mabel Zimmerman

Vocal Solo Ruth Graham

Inst. " Bessie Eaves

Reading Mary Scaff

Vocal Solo Miss Mary Eaves

Inst. Solo L. O. Cunningham

Impromptu Talk Mrs. Elkins

Response Rev. J. H. Clouse

The above program was rendered with success in every way. Each one taking part having a decided honor all their own and which was very much appreciated by the large number of persons present.

After the rendering of the program which was also interspersed with some of the latest renditions of instrumental music on the automatic piano, some of the Rebekahs surprised them by inviting them down to the Lovington Hotel where a delightful repast of lovely cakes and fruit awaited them. Thus ending one of the most pleasant events that their lodge has had in some time.

## Birthday Party

Tommie Lou Bingham celebrated her 11th birthday last Thursday afternoon from 4:30 until 7 p. m. by entertaining her classmates and members of the "Polly Anna Junior Club" of which she is a member. The little hostess receiving the guests, was presented with many lovely remembrances.

Games, music etc. made the time pass all too quickly, and each child expressed themselves as having one of the most delightful evenings ever spent.

Mrs. Bingham and Miss Francis, assisted by Mesdames A. Melton, and Clardy, and Miss Ruby Forbes, served dainty refreshments consisting of ham sandwiches, pickles, cake, and lemonade. After which the guests passed around the table where the birthday cake with its eleven candles burned and tried to blow out the candles making a wish for the hostess. Following this, they passed on to a table where they were shown a bird drawn. Then were blind-folded, handed a pencil and book and told to draw bird and leave signature, which will be a treasure to Tommie in after years. If space would permit, would like to give the names of those present which numbered 47.

At 7, all bade the hostess good bye wishing her many such happy birthdays.

A Guest

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